THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA): (a) and (b) The Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan deputes its Physical Education Teachers for coaching students during the Summer Coaching Camps and SGFI (School Games Federation of India) meets. There is no prescribed criteria. However, the Physical Education Teachers for this assignment are selected on the following criteria:—

(i) Should have obtained the qualification of coaching from the Netaji Subhash National Institute of Sports.

(ii) Should have adequate experience.

(iii) Should be available to take up the coaching assignment without being preoccupied in other assignments like training and courses.

Non-Payment of Teaching Allowance to Laboratory Assistants working under Directorate of Technical Education, Delhi Administration

3148. DR. BAPU KALDATE: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have sanctioned a teaching allowance of Rs. 100 p.m. to the Laboratory Assistants working under Delhi Administration w.e.f. the 1st January, 1986;

(b) whether it is a fact that the said allowance has not been paid to the Laboratory Assistants working under Directorate of Technical Education, Delhi Administration;

(c) whether it is also a fact that Delhi Administration has given an undertaking in their counter affidavit in SLP (Civil) No. 4317/82 in the Supreme Court that the pay scales and other emoluments of Laboratory Assistants working under Directorate of Technical Education are at par with that of other employees of the Delhi Administration; and

(d) if the answer to parts (a) to (c) above be in the affirmative, the reasons for not sanctioning teaching allowance to the Laboratory Assistants working under Directorate of Technical Education, Delhi Administration and by when it is likely to be sanctioned?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) As the order granting the teaching allowance to Laboratory Assistants is applicable only to those working in the schools of Union Territories and autonomous bodies like K.V.S., and not to others. Thus no allowance is payable to Laboratory Assistants working in institutions under Directorate of Technical Education.

(c) According to information received from Delhi Administration, the Administration stated *inter alia* that the staff working in the College of Pharmacy are governed in all matters such as the mode of appointment, service conditions, etc. at par with that of other employees of the Delhi Administration

(d) In views of (b) above, question does not arise.

Forecasting of Heavy Rains/Floods in Western Rajasthan

3149 DR. ABRAR AHMED KHAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

whether the Meteorological Department had forecast heavy rains and floods in Western Rajasthan during the first week of July;

(b) if so, when such a forecast was made and the details thereof; and